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Eric,

Thanks for this update.

Could you answer a few questions about status to aid in our report to our respective managements?

(If they will be addressed in the PolRep that works.)

Do you have an estimate of how much of Area 5 is left to excavate?

Do you expect it to be completed this month, or might it wait for the spring?

Glad to see waste will be moving out this week!

Do you have an estimate of how much of the accumulated waste will be removed from the site before the holiday break?

We will let you know if we are contacted by Mr. Telvock.

Our respective regional staff have been unable to coordinate a mutually acceptable time with the property owner to visit and survey the site.

If that changes we will let you know.

(When you referred to an HTC PolRep, were you referring to the one from 11/7?)

Thanks Again,

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Good Evening:

I really wanted to get a PolRep out for Niagara Falls Boulevard Site last week. We have been so busy trying to accomplish activities prior to the holiday break, I just haven't been able to get it together. Most of you should have received the Holy Trinity Cemetery PolRep. A PolRep for NFB will be going out but I wanted to touch base with you all now.

We are making progress here at the NFB Site. Both the GNBC Office Area and the majority of Area 5 have been excavated of contaminated material. Both areas have had post excavation surveys conducted and HpGe samples run. All show background. We have presented our rebuild plans created by subcontractor architect to the City of Niagara. The disposal profile for the material from the GNBC has been approved and we will be sending our first three trucks out tomorrow.

We had to postpone our interview with the reporter, Dan Telvock, last month due to the emergency response in Lackawanna. Today he visited the site and we conducted the interview. Topics were not much different than previous conversations. Progress at the Niagara County sites, what about the other identified areas in Niagara County, what kind of overall assessment can be done. I described the process again regarding state referral to EPA. I also told him I cannot speak on state programs and how removal activities are determined by the state. There were several questions regarding potential responsible parties. I explained our information requests process and how our enforcement works.

Is there any update on the 789 Upper Mountain Road assessment?

I hope everyone has a Merry Christmas and Happy Holidays.

Regards,

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